

THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 25 1878

Boat Race.

ST. JOHN, N. B., July 25.—The weather today is fine and clear. A high wind is prevailing, but with every probability of abating before the Harlon-Ross boat race comes off.

The Salem Election.

writer's knowledge, been driven three squares out of its proper route to a fire in order to avoid disturbing a sick gentleman. Make your reports to the proper officers, gentlemen, but don't rush into print with attacks on the

FIREMAN.

In response to questions, Mr. Sherman denied emphatically the truth of the testimony of Jas. E. Anderson, alleging conversation between Mr. Sherman and Mr. Anderson on the subject of the proposed protest. Mr. Sherman represented that Mr. Sherman said: "I wanted to see you gentlemen, as there was some difficulty in reference to your parishes. Now this is a crisis in which, not only Louisiana, but the whole country is involved, and it is a time when we expectant want every republican and every true patriot to stand by us. Now I hope you gentlemen are to do that thing." "Well, Mr. Sherman," said Weber, "Mr. Anderson and I have already done more than the circumstances of the case would warrant me in doing. I would warrant me in doing, said he (Sherman). "What do you mean by that?" Weber said. "The people of my parish are considerably waked up, and I have made a protest, which is, perhaps, more sweeping than it should have been, and if I go back I will be

DIED.

At Wytheville, Va., at the parsonage, the residence of her son, Rev. G. W. Nelson, on the 3d of July, Mrs. JANE E. NELSON, of Mont Air, Hanover county, Va., in the 62d year of her age. She was born in Alexandria, was the daughter of Mr. John Crease, formerly a bank officer, and that gentleman moved to Arkansas, and the rest of his family after the marriage of this his eldest child to Rev. G. W. Nelson, whose short though useful ministry is remembered by many. She afterward married Philip Nelson, of Hanover, where she lived till a few months before her death.

On the night of the 24th inst., at Red Sulphur Springs, JOHN M. DOUGLASS, oldest son of the late J. E. Douglass, esq., in the 24th year of his age.

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to increase, however, in the total number of blast furnaces, and of those in operation a gain of 34. Pennsylvania heads the list, with 147 of her 278 furnaces idle. Virginia follows with 5 out of 33 in blast, Michigan reports 1 out of 5 out of service, while the State of North Carolina, with 71 furnaces, were silent. The working capacity of the 716 furnaces, which is given as the total on December 31, 1877, is 4,000,000 tons, the nearest approach to which in actual production was the yield of 1873, 2,868,278 tons. Of the 22 States that made pig-iron last year, Pennsylvania is credited with 49 per cent. of the total production, and it is stated as a remarkable fact that she has never since 1873, while there has been a general decline in distant States. During the same period the product of New York was considerably greater, and that of New Jersey doubled. The statistics prove that bituminous coal and anthracite are gaining on anthracite and charcoal in the manufacture of iron, 1,061,945 tons of the former being consumed, 934,497 tons of anthracite and 317,843 of charcoal.

The most significant fact of all, however, is the rapidity with which Bessemer steel rails are superseding iron, their production having grown from 2,550 tons in 1867, when they were first made in America, to 432,109 tons in 1877, while the product of iron rails has declined

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